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RHYTHM FLOUR, per 98 lbs. net \$4.15

Carrots, 10 lbs. 25c Cabbage, 8 lbs. for 25c

B. C. Potatoes—good white stock—per 100 lbs., net \$1.75

Pure Fruit Jam, per pint 50c

Strictly Fresh Eggs, per Doz. 25c

Swift's Lard, 8 lbs. 50c 5 lbs. 80c 10 lbs. 1.60

For the Week End—Bananas at 40c. per doz.

Celery, Lettuce, Green Onions, Cucumbers and Rhubarb

We give you a discount of 5 per cent for cash on Groceries and Dry Goods

PHONE 25

The Store That Saves You Money

BLAIRMORE ALBERTA

The chamber of commerce, Bedford, England, adopted a resolution in favor of total prohibition with compensation to the holders of liquor licenses. It is not likely the government will accede to the request of certain petitioners in Alberta to open the fishing season earlier than in previous years.

The Alberta Hotel

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Hot and Cold Water and Steam Heat in Every Room

Rates \$1.50 Per Day Special Rates to Monthly Boarders

Meals Straight 35 Cents

Meal Tickets—good for 21 meals—\$5.00

Parloured Rooms—\$5.00 to \$10.00 Per Month

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Blairmore, Alberta

An exchange says that the edible berries growing wild in Newfoundland and admitted free of duty into Canada, are called "strawberries" because no decent party would eat them, so if any Canadians have any hankering for a light fruit diet they can go to it right away and the tariff won't stop them.



Provincial Government Of Alberta

An Appeal to Farmers and Owners of Land

WE ASK: That all farmers who are likely to require hired help in the coming season:

That all owners of unoccupied land who want a chance to make it profit-bearing, and would be willing to entertain above partnership or similar proposals;

That all persons wishing to lease their improved land upon a partnership basis,

Should Communicate as early as possible with:

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Department of Agriculture,

Edmonton Alberta

Rocky Mountain Wine & Spirit Store

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Wines, Liquors and Cigars

We pay strict attention to business and Guarantee Satisfaction at all times

PHONE 3

Blairmore,

Alberta

Presentation To Mr. and Mrs. John Brown

The citizens of Hillcrest met in the Union Hall on Monday evening, the 29th ult., to give Mr. and Mrs. John Brown a royal send-off on the occasion of their departure from the town. The general manager of Hillcrest Collieries, Ltd. The capacity of the hall was taxed to its utmost to accommodate the representative gathering that assembled to show the respect and esteem in which the late general manager and his wife are held by the residents of Hillcrest and the neighborhood. Mr. William Hiltreid, assistant general manager of the Colliery Company, presided over the assembly, and Mr. Hiltreid, by calling on Mr. George Spinks for a song, Mr. Spinks, obliged with "Down by the Old Mill Stream," which was accepted with loud applause, and he sang as an encore "If these lips could only speak." Mrs. Dook, a favorite with Hillcrest residents, was next called upon, and she rendered the "Holy City," giving "The Children's Home" as an encore. Mr. Hector McDonald furnished the next item on the program with "I love a hank," this song being encored, sang "When I go back again to Banquo Head." Mrs. Dook, the chairman, with a few well-chosen remarks, on behalf of the citizens of Hillcrest, presented to Mr. and Mrs. John Brown a handsome and silver service. Mr. Brown, in thanking the gathering for Mrs. Brown and himself for this splendid token of their well-wishes, regard, gave a concise resume of his aims and efforts to make Hillcrest the Province of Western Canada. His goal was concerned. When he came to Hillcrest five years ago, Hillcrest as a town was practically unknown. At the time of the disaster last June, Hillcrest, both as a town and a coal mine, was rapidly forging to the front. He trusted that it would continue to advance, and hoped that his successor would find as much pleasure and as many friends in Hillcrest as he and his wife had. Mr. Brown went on to say that they laid in Hillcrest they could never forget; and so far as the people's gift was concerned, it would remain one of their most treasured possessions as long as they lived. Upon the conclusion of Mr. Brown's remarks, Mrs. Henderson favored the audience with "My sin follow," and gave for an encore "Where the River Shaloun flows." Mrs. Smith followed with "Let a Friend," and for the encore "I had a thousand lives to live." The program was brought to a suitable conclusion by Mr. Shaw, who sang "The Admiral's Broom," and wound up with "Up from Zanzibar." After the concert, the floor was cleared for a dance, the Hillcrest orchestra supplying the music. Dancing continued until 12:30, when the hall was again cleared for a smoking concert. The dance prize provided, and opened the concert by calling on Mr. Brown for a few remarks. Mr. Brown took much pleasure in the occasion, and in the course of his address, took the opportunity of thanking the employees of Hillcrest Collieries, Ltd., for their loyalty to him during his stay among them, and trusted that Mr. Drimmon, who was to succeed him as general manager, would find the loyal as he had. When he called to mind other meetings of a similar nature at which he had spoken, and noted so many familiar faces, he felt more than ever grateful for the explosion had made in Hillcrest. He hoped and expected to have the pleasure of again meeting his many friends in Hillcrest, and thanked them for the very enjoyable time they had already given, and evidently intended to give him that evening. The chairman then ordered refreshments, and the serious work of the evening commenced. The following gentlemen gave selections, which were much appreciated: Messrs. John Northouse, Frank Rapp, William Shaw, William Hutchinson, William Warren, John Brown, Duncan McNeil, George Vickers, George Bumbrough, John Edmondson, Robert Hall, and others. Mr. Thomas Bradshaw very ably officiated at the piano, Mr. Miller assisting with the violin.

Oil Strike in Italy Attracts Calgary Italians

C. Longhi, one of the most prominent members of the local Italian colony, who is interested in the Calgary oil movement, expects to leave for Italy in a short time because of a wonderful oil strike that has been made in Gascon, one of the southern Italian provinces. He has received several letters and cablegrams from his friends in Milan, telling him of the extent of the discovery. "All Italy is excited over the find. The oil has been struck in the first well, at a depth of about 1,500 feet. It is said to be an excellent quality of fuel oil, carrying other values, and the product of the well is 100,000 barrels per day. "The importance of the strike will be appreciated when it is known that this is the first producing oil well in all Italy, and all the coal that is consumed has to be brought in from elsewhere as there are no coal mines in the country. "The province in which the oil has been found is in the interior of southern Italy, and the land is of only little value. My friends write me that many companies are being formed in Rome, Naples, Milan and other important cities, to develop the country, and that the excitement is without parallel in the history of Italy. It is probable that Louis Treppi, who is well known in Calgary and Winnipeg, in both of which places he has interests, will accompany him.—Calgary Ex.

Widow to Contest Will of Late J. C. Drewry

The death, March 27—At the time of the death of the late J. C. Drewry, the well-known Cowas rancher, it was not generally known by his friends in the West that he was a married man, and he and his wife were estranged, and have not lived together for twenty-five years. Mr. Drewry, who was a man of considerable wealth, left a will but did not include his wife among his beneficiaries, and she has decided to contest the will, and has retained the firm of McDonald, Martin & MacKenzie, of Macleod, to represent her. A claim will be made for the entire estate, which, it is understood, amounts to about \$100,000. Under the Married Women's Relief Act, of the North West Territories, it is held that the judicial officer has jurisdiction what proportion of the husband's estate shall go to his wife, in cases where the wife has been cut off by the husband's will. The property of the late Mr. Drewry has all been bequeathed to his brothers and sisters. Mr. Drewry, who is a musician of considerable attainments, was a widow when he married Mr. J. C. Drewry, and one daughter of her first marriage. The daughter is married to a well known local lawyer. It is quite probable that the case will be tried at the next civil sitting of the Supreme Court here.

War Stamps To Be In Use After April 15

Re one cent war tax on letters and post cards mailed to Canada for delivery in Canada, United States and Mexico, and on letters mailed in Canada for delivery in the United Kingdom and British possessions generally wherever the two cent rate applies. A war tax of one cent has been imposed on each letter and postcard mailed in Canada for delivery in Canada, the United States or Mexico and on each letter mailed in Canada for delivery in the United Kingdom and British possessions generally, and wherever the two cent rate applies, to become effective on and from April 15th, 1915. This war tax is to be prepaid by the sender by means of a war stamp for sale by postmasters and other postage stamp vendors. Wherever possible, stamps on which the words "War Tax" have been printed should be used for payment of the War Tax, but should ordinary postage stamps be used for this purpose, they will be accepted. This war stamp or additional stamp for war purposes should be affixed to the upper right hand portion of the address side of the envelope or post card, close to the regular postage so that it may be readily cancelled at the same time as the postage. In the event of failure on the part of the sender through oversight, or negligence to prepay the war tax on each letter or postcard above specified, such a letter or postcard will be sent immediately to the nearest

EASTER SPECIALS

Fresh Tomatoes, Rhubarb, Lettuce, Radishes, Spring Onions, Oranges, Bananas, Lemons

Fresh Eggs, per dozen 25c

Pineapples, 2 cans for 25c

Pears, per can 10c

Tomatoes, 2 cans for 25c

Blue Ribbon Tea, per lb. 40c

Sugar, 20 lb. sack 17.70

Five Roses Flour, per sack 14.25

4 lb. Loaf Flour, per sack 14.00

Belapice Flour, per sack 13.55

Acce Flour, per sack 13.50

Ivory Flour, per sack 14.00

B. C. Okanagan Potatoes, per sack 17.75

H. J. POZZI

THE CASH MAN

Phone 52

Blairmore Lodge, No. 68, meets in their hall, 800 Victoria St., every Tuesday at 8 p.m. Visiting brethren welcome. J. B. HARMER, R.S.

CROW'S NEST CAMPAIGN No. 8

Meets in the L.L.O.V. Hall every second and fourth Wednesday

J. Muntbell C.P. W.J. Harlett, R.S.

Bench Dead Letter Office.

It is essential that postage "on all classes of mail matter should be prepaid by means of ordinary postage stamps. The War Tax stamp will not be accepted in any case for the prepayment of postage.

J. W. Verge, school principal, left for Calgary last night, where he will attend the teachers' convention.

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Stone, Cement, Brick Construction

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Estimates furnished on application

First Class Work Guaranteed

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COALHigh Grade Domestic Lump \$4.80 Delivered
Steam Coal, Best size for furnaces \$3.00 Delivered

See all Local Delivery Concerns

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BLAIRMORE - - ALTA.

The Kaiser's Vision

The Kaiser stood by the Elver Spee
Deeply thought as he well might be;
He was turning over his recent life,
How he'd caused much carnage, caused
such strife;
How he'd ruined the land where the
peaceful dwelt;
How he'd murdered the innocent mother
and child.
And his thoughts were ghastly, for he
knew 'twas true,
And he knew 'twas work he could not
do.
As he stood and pondered, a vision ap-
peared,
A vision ghastly, a vision wild,
It struck the Kaiser's heart with awe,
For in it, all his life he saw,
It showed him Belgium, small land of
the brave,
A land, now simply a human grave.
He saw wrecked cities, villages, towns,
Cathedrals, churches and the dead's
mournful sounds.

Now the vision appeared to speak and to
say,
"Murder, traitor, what of 'The Day,'
What can you say of your terrible crime,
The greatest through all the space of

time.
Is there no law of the nations, no law of
our God,
That you value so much as the battle-
field dead,
Have the widows and orphans, the old
and infirm,
No sympathy from you, your cold heart
to turn.
What can you say of Ethiopia and Lau-
dovie,
Where your cowardly gunners sent a
bullet
Of shell: on the noble works of man,
Works that have stood through long cen-
turies since,
Scarred and heart-pierced, Wholly too
You tell of the horrible things you do.
The bonds of Hell, I believe would shun.
The brutal works of the German Hun."
Now the Kaiser answered very a word,
He knew 'twas true all the things he
heard,
But his face was lit up, his eyes were
glowing,
And who can tell of the thoughts within,
The vision vanished; he was left alone,
And he wondered back to his stately
home,
But God has said, "At the Judgment
day,
Vengeance is Mine" I will reply.
(253) PRIVATE A. WEST,
25th Battalion.

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RESIDENCE PHONE "6"

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Contractor and BuilderPLANS FURNISHED
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First-Class Turnouts at all Hours
Good Drivers
Drying and Teaming at Reasonable Rates

Agents "McLaughlin" Automobiles

The Passburg Hotel

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Bright, Clean Wholesome Rooms

The Bar is well stocked with the Finest Wines,
Liquors and Imported and Domestic Cigars

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Office of Publication
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Business locals, 10c. per line.
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tion; 10c. per line for each subsequent insertion.

Display Advertising Rates on Application.
W. J. BARNES, Proprietor.

Blairmore, Alta., Fri., April 2, 1915

The editor of the Coleman Bulletin seems never satisfied unless he is making trouble for and slandering reference to some personality. For some weeks past he has been filling up his paper with matter regarding the present principal of the Coleman school—just over a technicality. No one, not even the editor of the Bulletin, is perfect; but it is evident he cannot see far enough to know that the Coleman school board, as well as the people of Coleman, know that the criticism of the school principal's work was not altogether warranted.

Now that individual, instead of devoting his "talents" to the welfare of the town of Coleman, prefers to fill up his journal with matter regarding The Enterprise. He chooses to brand us as "knockers," not giving the Coleman a few weeks ago we challenged him, as any citizen of Coleman, to prove that we were knockers of Coleman, and that the individual, instead of coming forward to defend himself by calling attention to his record, has by one of our correspondents to the conduct of Coleman school board.

We are public spirited enough to endeavor as far as possible to avoid making personal reference that would make anyone or unbecomingly to our readers. We have been in the business in the Pass long enough to be known, while that foul-mouthed scoundrel of Coleman is not known and may soon meet the (7) farewell which has been given by the people of Coleman, where he undertakes to chronicle his childish bickerings.

Why April The First
Is All Fools' Day

For at least three centuries the first day of April has been set apart for the particular kind of foolery with which every boy and girl is familiar. Yet, all as this day is, just why we have it at this time of year, to give his attention to some other day is quite a good deal of mystery.

As with most of the folk festivals of old European countries, all of which day appears to have a pagan feast which was retained after the coming of Christianity on account of its great popularity.

Some students believe that the selection of April 1 as All Fools' Day was only a matter of chance. One student told that it was due to New Year's Day having formerly been March 25.

After the year had been officially dated from January 1 the old New Year's day remained for a long time in use. This accounts for the frequent employment of a double dated year in January, February and most of March which so frequently occurs in the form of February 27, 28, 29. April 1 is the octave of the New Year's day of March 25, which was celebrated as the birthday of the holiday festival.

Some French authorities assign the introduction of April Fool, their Pâques d'Avril, to 1564, when Charles IX. made the change of the year's beginning to January 1. Another French opinion refers it to the reign of Louis XIII., when a Prince of Lorraine escaped from his imprisonment in the Castle of Nancy by assuming the identity of a fool.

Lorraine, by no means predisposed to Christian mythology, finds in Pâques d'Avril a corruption of Pâques. According to his view the solemn dignity of the season was vulgarized into a peasant show of the holiday spirit. Quipping, looking the victim of the source of the festival, declines to accept the quotation of the word passion and labors to prove that passion was adopted as the translation of Pâques, the Greek name of the early Christians, adopted as a prudent and pious formula in the days of persecution.

This Is For You

The local paper is entitled to every cent of profit that can be given to the people and the local paper. It is to use place in town where every body has more money later, has to come for some favor or other that will mean dollars to his business or satisfaction to his mind or even life. The local paper is continually giving publicity to matters that will directly benefit your business and it therefore has a right to expect local patronage, even though it differs with many things. The local paper is everybody's friend and as such is placed in a position where it can rightfully expect every bit of local support that the people of the community can give it. If you send a job of printing out of town you are violating a principle which amounts to something more than a mere matter of dollars or cents, something more than to the community.

Things That

Never Happen

The editor of the Coleman Bulletin was a welcome visitor to Blairmore recently. During his stay he collected a large number of accounts for subscriptions imposed upon the people of this fair town.

Before entering a new suit of uniform for the new chief of police, the police committee consulted the local tailor with a view to giving the town the benefit of the deal. Outlets have no show in Blairmore any more.

In the recent vote on the new agreement between the miners and operators, not a single miner voted against the agreement. Miners as a rule are the most accessible class of people on the face of the globe.

A well-known young man was the honored guest of the Italian society people at their ball on Saturday night last. The man, who had been entertained by the famous daughters of Sunny Italy, during the evening reference was made to his sterling qualities by a number of speakers and he was given the opportunity to make a reply in Canadian English. In his remarks he thanked the guests and ladies for their kind treatment and named them that it would be a pleasure for him to attend similar events that might be staged by Italian society folks in the future.

Every business man in Blairmore is a firm believer in advertising, as may be seen from the pages of this paper. Last year the third last price for advertising each month and presented the editor with a check for a Christmas box as well. All their job printing, passed the hands of the local printer, for which the latter is sorely grateful. At the beginning of 1915 every subscriber came around with his subscription to pay up a year's subscription in advance, and incidentally to urge upon us to boost for local patronage, pledging themselves not to send a nickel to the Nation or any other foreign establishment.

Resigned as Manager
Of Lumber Company

The resignation of Peter Lund as manager of the Crow's Nest Pass Lumber Company is reported from Vancouver, B.C., but nothing is said concerning his probable successor. The report says that Mr. Lund has desired to be relieved of the management of the lumber company for the past two years, to give his attention to the properties of the Lund Land & Development Company, but the other directors have refused to release him until the present time. He will remain on the board of directors, however. Peter Lund and John Brock organized the Crow's Nest Pass Lumber Company twelve years ago, but five years ago they sold the company interest was acquired by American capitalists. Mr. Lund has large interests outside of the company's with which his name has been so long associated. He is the largest individual stockholder in the Kootenay Telephone lines, controls the coal mine at Lundbreck, and has extensive personal land holdings.

Johnnie Canuck

(O. E. Bailie)

Johnnie Canuck your time has come;
Though I've had of life a little to spare,
Stern is the work when bullets rain,
That leads to victory.

Johnnie Canuck, we're here in France
(Gun and bayonet and shining lance)
On Belgium's blood-soaked land,
Johnnie Canuck, right from the start
We've tried our best to do our part;
Now, shoulder to shoulder, heart to heart,
The Belgians shall be free.

Johnnie Canuck, our country's fair;
May the thought of her be as a prayer
To help us do our duty there
Oh, Canada, for thee.

Bravely facing death we'll stand,
Doing our bit for the Mother Land;
Oh, God, the issue is in Thy hand;
We place our trust in Thee.

(To a note to his brother, Jack Bailie, of Montreal, the author states that he wrote the poem, "Johnnie Canuck," while crossing France in a box car. Under those circumstances one would expect to find the meter a little shaky, but it is remarkably smooth.)

Other war poems by the same author have appeared in the Lethbridge Herald and other papers. They denote the possession of genuine poetic gifts.

Cough Medicine For Children

Too much care cannot be taken in selecting a cough medicine for children. It should be pleasant to the taste, contain no harmful substance and be most effective. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy meets these requirements and is a favorite with the mothers of young children everywhere. For sale by all dealers.

ADVERTISING!

"ADVERTISING is the education of the public as to who you are, where you are, and what you have to offer in the way of skill, talent and commodity. The only man who should not advertise is the man who has nothing to offer the world in the way of commodity or service."

—Elbert Hubbard

Advertise in The Enterprise

Cowley Happenings

Mr. Tustin, senior, has been ill for a few days.

Rev. Keith, of Red Deer, preached in Cowley Presbyterian church on Sunday evening.

On account of the storm and bad roads, a small attendance was present at the Women's Institute meeting on Saturday.

Mrs. Pope, one of Beaver Mink's old timers, was laid to rest on Sunday at Pioneer Creek. Mrs. Pope died on Friday last, after an illness of nearly a year, and death came as a relief.

A meeting was held last Wednesday night to form a baseball club for the coming season. Mr. Bromley was elected manager and Rev. W. Chalmers as secretary. We hope the boys will turn out when called and give their very best.

On Wednesday last a quiet wedding was performed in the Anglican church here, when Miss Heaton, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Heaton, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Neil Cook, of the north district. We wish the young couple many years of happiness.

A merry time was spent at the home of Otto Iredale on Friday, where a small crowd gathered to give the house a warming up before the departure of Otto and family to Warden, where his home is located and where he is now spending the summer.

Dancing was kept up till morning.

The angel of death visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hirdes, taking them from their eldest daughter, Edna, who passed away on Wednesday morning. Funeral took place at Cowley cemetery on Friday afternoon. The little one had been unwell for some time, but no danger was feared until but a few days before the end came, and though death was done that human hands could do, death came without warning and matched her from her earthly home to enter that eternal home prepared for all.

Word has been received in Cowley of the death of one of Martin McLeod's boys, which occurred very suddenly on Sunday morning. Mr. McLeod was a sufferer from heart failure. He was employed in a bank at Pioneer Creek and was very popular. Mr. and Mrs. McLeod lived for a number of years on a ranch near Cowley, and moved to Pioneer a few years ago to have better school advantages for their children, and their son had just entered the bank a short time ago. He was ill but a few days when the call came.

Mrs. Hugh Alston will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hobbs during Easter week. She will take part in the concert programme in the I.O.O.F. hall on Thursday night next, when those who attend will have an opportunity of hearing her in favorite Scotch songs.

Now, Here is an Opportunity

For a Live Boy or Girl

Willing to devote their spare time to soliciting new or renewal subscriptions to The Enterprise.

We will give 15 per cent. of all subscriptions collected to the local Red Cross Fund, and 10 per cent. to the collector.

Subscriptions, however, must be handed in to the office of this paper before April the 20th.

Now, Get Busy, and Help on The Great Work Being Accomplished by The Local Branch of the

RED CROSS SOCIETY

Spring Hats and Caps

ALL THE LATEST STYLES
AT THE LOWEST PRICES

Ladies and Childrens Dresses and Blouses

Just opened and awaiting your inspection

Don't Forget the Store That
Sells for Less and Satisfies

THE BLAIRMORE TRADING CO.

Blairmore

Alberta

W. T. Lowery, in the Greenwood Lodge says: "The Blairmore Brewery has started to make beer, and the editor in that town is happy."

Rumor says that the German crown prince is dead again. He has almost as many lives as the newspaper business in Coleman.

THE Southern Hotel

BELLEVUE - ALBERTA

Bar well stocked with the best Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

The Most Popular Hotel in Bellevue

Comfortable Lodgings at Moderate Rates

SPECIAL ATTENTION TO DINING SERVICE

LOOK TO YOUR PLUMBING

You know what happens in a house in which the plumbing is in poor condition—everybody in the house is liable to contract typhoid or some other fever. The digestive organs perform the same function in the human body as the plumbing does for the house, and they should be kept in first class condition all the time. If you have any trouble with your suggestion take Chamberlain's Tablets and you are certain to get quick relief. For sale by all dealers.

Farmers and others requiring the services of boys to help on farms should apply to the superintendent of neglected children, Old Parliament Buildings, Edmonton, who has a number of good, strong boys available for farm work. Homes of good standing are required. Applications will be treated with all confidence and full information given freely on any questions which applicants may ask.

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An eastern town has passed a transient traders by-law that levies a stiff fee on parties soliciting orders for merchandise and afterwards making deliveries of the same in the railway yards or otherwise when not assessed for business premises or paying a business tax. A similar scheme might be useful in western towns—Province (Insider).

Canadian postal notes are now payable in Newfoundland under similar regulations as governing the payment of postal notes in Canada, that is to say: the postal notes must be fully filled in and must be regular in all particulars, no alterations of figures are allowed and odd cents up to but not exceeding 9 cents may be made up by affixing postage stamps.

OF LOCAL AND GENERAL INTEREST

'Good Friday.

Blairmore is soon to have a municipal jail. School closed yesterday for the Easter holidays.

A new cobbler has set up his sign in the Ronalds block.

Passenger and freight traffic on the C.P.R. main line is improving.

Blairmore's new chief of police, donated the robes of office yesterday.

The man who courts the widow is seldom kept in suspense very long.

A daily newspaper will be started in Fort George, B.C., in May month.

Grand Forks expects to collect \$25,000 in taxes this year with a rate of 30 mills.

A new cleaning and pressing establishment has opened in the Novaria block.

The Turkish ship Brelau has been seriously damaged by the allies in the Black Sea.

C.P.R. coal buyers Fawcett and Humphreys were in town on Wednesday.

S. Novaria has put in a nine-foot plank sidewalk in front of his Victoria block.

Rev. James Lang, of Passburg, preached at the Presbyterian church last Sunday morning and evening.

The houses of both Mayor Henry and ex-Mayor McNamara, at Edmonton, are quarantined for measles.

The 1914 net earnings of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Co. show a decrease of \$210,000 as compared with 1913.

The Johnson-Willard mill for the world's heavyweight championship will be pulled off at Havana on Monday next.

Dr. King, liberal, and T. D. Carver, conservative, are in the field for the honor of representing Canadian constituency in the B. Legislature.

The Reporter states that travelers say Natal is the best town on the line. The editor of the Bulletin is liable to consider that that is a knock at Coleman.

J. A. Osborne left for Calgary this week, where he will be employed in connection with the erection of a big manufacturing plant soon to be started there.

Thirty-three Canadians of the first contingent, mostly landed in Halifax on Sunday from the Allan River Scandinavian.

Messrs. C. H. McLeod, Willard Goddard, David Kinloch and Harry David Merrifield are among the latest from Blairmore to join the Pincher contingent.

E. T. Fitzsimmons has disposed of his Ford auto to Althezza Brothers, of Maple Leaf. We understand that Mr. Fitzsimmons has purchased a much larger car at Calgary.

Who was that very estimable young person who last Saturday night tried to obtain admission to the dance given by the Italian society and found he was "done brown?"

The Salvation Army of Canada have donated and equipped five motor ambulance cars for the British army, and they say they are going to equip five more for the same purpose.

George Bradley is moving one of Blairmore's "mansions" to Sentinel, where we understand he is laying out the town and purpose building several blocks of tenement houses this year.

Just about a year ago Blairmore was on the map struggling to get rid of a police force, and \$6000 figured in many a dream and ultimately was the subject of one of the greatest farce comedies ever staged.

Blairmore's assessment notices have this week been sent out.

W. A. Bebe returned on Monday last from a visit to Weyburn.

J. Lindley, one of Creston's fruit and vegetable growers, was in town on Wednesday.

George Bradley, of Sentinel, made his presence known in Blairmore on Tuesday.

A record crowd attended the Italian dance in the opera house on Thursday night, and a good time was had.

Von Kluck is still knocking. Last week he got in the way of shrapnel and was wounded.

A Blairmore Chinaman last week remarked: "Let's long lit dat Coleman paper man? Is la crazy?"

BORN—On March 28th, to Principal and Mrs. F. S. McCall, of Alberta College, North Edmonton, a daughter.

The enquiry into the mine explosion which occurred at Coal Creek recently, was commenced at Fernie on Monday.

England is at present equipping six battle cruisers of a speed of 32 knots, all carrying the new sixteen-inch gun.

There will be no strikes in Britain during the term of the war, and all differences will be referred to arbitration.

The old house on Dearborn Street which had been occupied by Peter Tracy, was disposed of by fire on Tuesday evening.

A Brockville family has offered \$100,000 to the federal government to finance a Canadian regiment for overseas service.

Councillor Lapace has tendered his resignation to the secretary-treasurer, and a new election for councillor may be necessary.

The United States submarine F-4, built at Seattle, Wash., and launched in 1912, has been lost near Honolulu with twenty-one of a crew.

As a result of an accident in one of the Glace Bay collieries last week, a man named Rod McDonald completely lost his right and one hand.

Mrs. Fordon, mother of Premier Horden, died at her home in Grand Pre, N.S., on Monday morning. Her husband predeceased her just fifteen years.

The submarine U21, the officers of which were personally decorated with iron crosses by the Kaiser, is now a unit of the British navy fighting Germany.

A charge of slander will shortly be entered by a local party against the man who really visited The Metropole. We hope to be able to give some light on the subject in a week or two.

The question of tunnelling between Newfoundland and Canada under the Straits of Belle Isle is again becoming a live subject. The distance is about sixty miles and the task is quite feasible.

Hiram Bates, who has been a member of the Independent Order of Oddfellows for twenty-five years, was last week presented with a veteran's jewel by Mountain View lodge at Macleod.

The pulpit of Central Baptist church was occupied last Sunday morning and evening by Prichard Black, of the Coleman public school, Rev. Mr. Hunter having been called to Nanton.

Military sports are to be held at Pincher Creek on Monday next, including football between teams of the various squadrons, wrestling on horseback and various sword exercises.

Lord George, chancellor of the exchequer, in replying to a deputation of the ship-building employers' federation in London last week, stated: "We are fighting Germany, Austria and drink, and so far as I can see the greatest of the three deadly foes is drink."

G. Ernst is indisposed this week with rheumatism.

The town of Okotoks has spent over \$5,000 on cement walks.

Miss Rose Banamer, of Lundbreck, spent a few days in town.

Mrs. Kidd's maternity home, Box 133, Phone 151, Wedding cake decorated.

The Sons of England Benefit Society paid out \$28,967.50 in death claims in the year 1913 in Canada.

The German auxiliary cruiser, now in the harbor of Newport News, will have to intern or come out to meet her fate.

W. Shaw, of P. Burns & Co., was in town on Wednesday, and inspected the different branches of the company in the district.

With "one leg in the grave," the undaunted Sarah Bernhardt, the famous actress, will yet make a tour of the United States in September.

Alfred E. Muncester, youngest son of Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Muncester, has enlisted with the British admiralty as an aviator's mechanic.

The bachelors of Hillcrest will hold their annual ball in the Union hall at Hillcrest on Monday next, April 5th, for which invitations have been sent out.

Bombardier Wells was knocked out by Frank Moran in a London opera house on Monday night, and took the count in the tenth round of a twenty-round bout.

The war appropriation bill providing \$100,000,000 to cover the cost of Canada's participation in the war received a third reading in the commons on Monday and finally passed.

McGill university is sending a hospital of 1000 beds to the front, and supplying it with the necessary medical corps, nurses, orderlies, etc. Students of the Alberta university will join the corps.

Private Samuel Patterson came up from Pincher Creek with the rest of the boys to attend the "send-off" at Bellevue. He spent Monday and Tuesday at his home in Blairmore and returned to the Creek on Tuesday night.

From Calgary to New York, via Lethbridge, on foot, is a feat being attempted by Charles Mahar and Joseph Myer, of Calgary. The hike is a mere 3000 miles and the two pedestrians are due to arrive at their destination by August 1st.

Messrs. Gilbert Farm and Alex. Berwig, of the Green Holdings Syndicate, were arrested at Calgary on Monday charged with having sold forest lands on Vancouver Island under misrepresentation for cultivated land.

The miners at River Hebert and the Joggins, Nova Scotia, are working nearly full time. These two communities have not suffered practically anything from the dull times. In Scitaghill the miners are getting regular work.

Rev. W. H. Muncester returned from western points on Monday, and after spending a few days here will leave for Calgary, where he has been assigned some special work in connection with the Presbyterian church.

One of Blairmore's leading professional men was caught in the act of practicing surgery on a "Fool's" morning. After displaying a certain amount of sympathy for the "sufferer" and carefully tying a string around the "sore hand" that membrane fell on the toe and since then he is wincing. Such is the luck of a reformist.

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Mrs. O. Church is visiting her sister, Mrs. T. Scott, at Pincher Creek.

Miss Inspector Shaw attended the farewell given ex-manager Brown at Hillcrest on Monday night.

The sixth annual convention of the Alberta Education Association will be held at Knox church, Calgary, on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

"If a doctor makes a mistake, he buries it; if a merchant makes a mistake, he never tells it; but if an editor makes a mistake, he puts it on a large sheet of paper for the world to look at, and all the cranks in the district have something to say about it for a month."

—Exchange.

This is an "old man's" war. Lord Kitchener is sixty-four, Sir John French is sixty-two, General Joffre is sixty-two, Von Moltke is sixty-three, Von Zeppelin is sixty-five, the prime minister of Serbia is sixty-two. This list might be added to almost indefinitely.

Several miners from the different Pass mining camps appeared before Inspector Jungel last week, charged and convicted under the Mines Act with having carried matches into the mines. This is a very serious offence, and the department of mines intends to punish all offenders severely.

German submarines torpedoed the African liner Falaba and the British steamer Aquila in St. George's Channel on Sunday. In connection with the Falaba, the affair is considered to be a case of cold-blooded murder on the part of the German undersea men, in that they failed to give the passengers and crew time to escape.

The Oddfellows of Bellevue, Coleman and Hillcrest will celebrate the thirty-sixth anniversary of the Order by holding a joint parade and attending divine service in Blairmore on Sunday, April 12th.

The service will be held in the opera house, as the Baptist church is altogether too small to accommodate the large number that will be in attendance.

During the month of February the liquor license branch of the attorney general's department had a rather busy time with parties who chose to break the liquor license laws. There were fifty-five convictions. The fines imposed aggregated \$4,500 and prison terms eleven months. Detectives in the employ of this branch secured all convictions at points scattered all over the province.

Alberta wives will have the right to dower if they want it. In the Alberta legislature on Monday the attorney-general introduced a bill providing for a wife's interest in the home for every wife in Alberta. She is given the right to file a caveat which will deliver her equal right to the estate with her husband and prevent his disposing of it, mortgaging it, or selling it away without her consent. The right of caveat applies only to that portion of the estate which constitutes the home. This is effective so far as farmers are concerned, giving ninety-five per cent. of the farmers' wives full rights in the farm. In the urban localities it applies to the property occupied as a home.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

IN THE ESTATE OF MARIA ADAM, late of BLAIRMORE, in the Province of Alberta, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claims against the above named MARIA ADAM, who died about the 29th day of November, 1914, are required to file with the undersigned Solicitor for the Executors on or before the 1st day of May, 1915, a full statement, duly verified, of their claims against the estate of the above named MARIA ADAM, by them, if any, and that after that date the executors, JOHN ARTHUR McDONALD and HUNGAN CAMPBELL, will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been given which have been brought to their knowledge.

DATED this 15th day of March, 1915.

J. E. GILLIES, Solicitor for the Executors.

Approved: John A. McNeil, Judge of the District Court of Macleod.